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# Bus Tour May 2, 2017



**OFFICE OF AGRICULTURE** 

# **Pleasant Valley Farm**

https://www.pleasantvalleyfarmmd.com/



4401 Brookville Road, Brookeville, Maryland 20833

Pleasant Valley Farm (PVF) is a grain and cattle operation located in Maryland. PVF operates on both sides of the Chesapeake Bay, farming a total of about 4,000 acres of corn, soybeans, and wheat. In addition, PVF also has a herd of about 150 beef cows and runs a produce stand, where we raise and sell our own sweet corn and beef, as well as other locally raised produce during the summer months.

## **Pleasant Valley Farm Market**

https://www.pleasantvallevfarmmd.com/produce-stand/



22200 Block of MD-108, Laytonsville, Maryland 20882

Pleasant Valley Produce is open every year from July through September. We grow our very own sweet corn right on sight and pick it fresh every morning! In addition to the sweet corn we also carry other local, seasonal fresh produce in the stand.

Pleasant Valley Produce also carries home raised Angus freezer beef and pork in the produce stand now too! We raise the beef right here on our farm so you can be sure that you are receiving a top-quality product. The beef and pork is shrink wrapped in small portions so you can buy it and put it in your freezer at home for later, or thaw and eat right away!

# Save the Date

# Montgomery County Farm Tour and Harvest Sale

Saturday, July 22 - Sunday, July 23

This is a weekend-long family friendly event in which participating farms are open for residents to visit to enjoy nature/scenery, learn about farm operations, promote farm fresh food for purchase, and provide other activities that are available only for this special weekend.

# **Tour Participants:**

Office of Agriculture Jeremy Criss Jacqueline Arnold



# MONTGOMERY COUNTY FOOD COUNCIL

#### http://www.mocofoodcouncil.org/

Heather Bruskin Brandon Bedford Susan Eisendrath Carole Sugarman Eileen Dykes Lindsey Parsons Sophia Maroon Mark Hodge Sarah Miller Shelley Rudick Susan Wexler Sharon Feuer Gruber Jackie DeCarlo Massa Cressall



#### www.visitmontgomerv.com

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#### **Rock Hill Orchard**

http://www.rockhillorchard.com/



28600 Ridge Road, Mount Airy, Maryland 21771

Bring your family for an authentic farm experience: pick your own flowers, pick your own peaches, pick your own apples, pick your own vegetables, and visit our farm market for pre-picked fruits and vegetables (and hand scooped ice cream!). We are committed to farming using a sensible sustainable approach that allows us to provide you with a quality product. In the fall, we have a corn maze, pumpkin cannon and a large pumpkin patch.

# **Woodbourne Creamery**

http://www.rockhillorchard.com/woodbourne-creamery



28600 Ridge Road, Mount Airy, Maryland 21771

Woodbourne Creamery is MoCo's first all new dairy facility in sixty years and Montgomery County's ONLY made on the farm ice cream. We are the only dairy within forty miles of Washington DC bottling our own milk and making our own ice cream right on the farm. In addition, we are the first all pasture robotic milking facility in North America – using a Delaval VMS ("Voluntary Milking System") – installed in 2013.

We are licensed as a Grade A dairy and processing facility and are selling our Golden Guernsey Creamline milk at our on-farm market. We have both white and chocolate milk for sale.

# **Jamison Ag & Turf**

## http://www.jamisonagandturf.com/about/



18824 Darnestown Road, Poolesville, Maryland 20837 Jamison Ag and Turf is a family-owned business that started with Jamie and Kathy Jamison in 1970. Jamison's team works in unison to propagate yields and employ best management practices. The key to Jamison's success is the way we provide diligent stewardship to the land. We specialize in growing number 2 yellow corn, soybeans and wheat. Aside from row crop products, we also grow pristine quality fields of tall fescue turf grass. We are dedicated to enhancing the quality of our most cherished asset: The land.

### **From The Earth Foods**

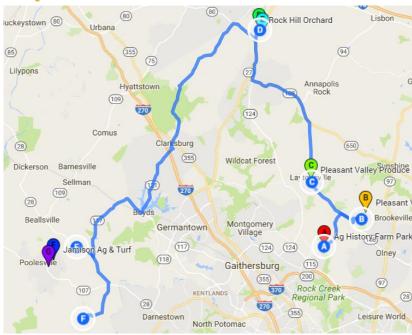
https://www.facebook.com/fromtheearthfoodsllc/



1611 Sugarland Road, Poolesville, Maryland 20837

Fresh, Local, Organically raised vegetables, flowers and fruit that fill your belly and nurture your soul! Initially started in southeastern Minnesota in 2007, From the Earth Foods relocated to Maryland in 2013 and currently leases 3 acres on a small farm on Sugarland Road. Surrounded by trees and rolling land, we are fortunate to be part of a rich farming community.

# **Proposed Route**



- Ag History Farm Park
- Pleasant Valley Farm (Grain)
- Pleasant Valley Produce
- P Rock Hill Orchard
- Woodbourne Creamery
- 🖣 Jamison Ag & Turf
- From The Earth Foods